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The secretary of a prominent To-peka organization, who is spending his vacation in Colorado, writes: "Denver is wild over "Teddy" and L."

Commencing tomorrow morning.
Principal A. J. Stout of the high school
will be in his office to talk over
courses with incoming students.

for the convention of the Christian

From all over the Santa Fe system From all over the Santa Fe system officials are coming to the funeral of the late J. E. Hurley. Telegrams asking the time and date are received every day at the general offices. The funeral will be the largest ever held in the city of Topeka. It is Saturday afternoon, next.

Kansas avenue, all the time.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Provident association will be held tomorrow noon at the Commercial club.

Siloam lodge No. 225, A. F. & A. M., will confer the first degree on several candidates Thursday evening, beginning at 7 o'clock.

The secretary of a secretary

cultural department of the Rock Island, who was in Topeka studying local conditions preparatory to sending a number of special trains through Kansus, left this morning for Okla-homa, where he is in charge personally of a wheat train in that state.

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C. E. Bengston of Marquette. Kan., will be one of the prominent speakers at the picnic of the Swedish association at the Children's playground on the West side on Labor day.

The fire bell above the headquarters engine house will not ring today—and did not ring Tuesday. The wife of Lieutenant Goodrich is seriously fill and the bell has been silenced.

Sixty tons of borings from the Santa Fe shops will be used to make gas for the dirigible balloon which will fly in Topeka Fair week. No one but fair experts know how gas is made out of borings and no attempt will be made to explain the process. Gene Stotts, the fair publicity man, says it is true—nuff said.

The new box car trusses on the Fillmore street bridge have been instantiant.

and the bell has been silenced.

"This town is certainly improving and growing." said a visitor from the bridge will hold all the Mallet

use. The engineers state now that sand growing." said a visitor from the bridge will hold all the bridge.

The day of the funeral of the late James E. Hurley no Santa Fe whistles will be at half mast and every office will be bridge.

From the responses heard from civer the state fair in Topeka, Fair week will be blown in this city nor in any city. All company flags will be at half mast and every office will be draped with black and white.

Commissioner Miller is preparing to protect the new well and sub-river wells at the waterworks this winter.

Mr. Miller will make the plant safe from further ice floes and gorges. He has promised that the people of Topeka will have all the water they can use this winter.

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White Russian



Mr. Sam Burns is quite sick at his ome on Lake street. He is suffering home on Lake street. He with an attack of dropsy.

Mr. George Layne has returned from Kansas City where he spent several days on a business trip.

Mrs. N. C. Montgomery is spending several days in Osawatomie, Kansas, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Frank Fichtner is spending this week in Kansas City the guest of her brother and his family.

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Mrs. N. Lux, who was injured in an automobile accident several weeks ago, is reported to be steadily improving.

Mr. Frank Hill of Kansas City is here spending several days on a business trip. While in the city he is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson.

Miss Nellie May Kahars will return to her home in Burlingame Saturday after spending two weeks here the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Read of 229 Chandler street. Mr. and Mrs. Read and daughter Lillian will accompany her home to remain over Sunday the guests of Mrs. Read's parents.

Miss Guesie Thompson left yesterday for her home in Ottawa after spending three weeks here the guest of her aunt and other relatives and friends.

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The regular meeting of the social committee of the Endeavor society of the Christian church was held Monday evening at the home of Miss Lottie Horn on Lake street. The regular business meeting of the society will be held next Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fink of 625 Chandler streeet.

Mr. Thomas Watson is unable to be at work on account of illness. He is suffering with an atack of rheumatism.

Mrs. T. Irvin has gone to Kansas City to join her husband in a permanent home.

Mr. John Irvin of 423 East Eighth avenue is unable to be at work on account of illness.

Mrs. Frank Lane has returned to her home in Wichita after spending several days here visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmberg and two children of Meriden are here spending several days visiting Mrs. Palmberg's mother, Mrs. Larson, on Lake street.

Mr. John Larson of Texas is here spending two weeks visiting his mother, Mrs. Larson, of 217 Lake street.

Everybody reads the State Journal.

ing and the young people testify to their partiality for that form of enter tainment by taking the carllest advan tainment by taking the earliest advantage of the cooler weather. The Varsity and Tivoli clubs are reorganizing and will unite in giving a dance Friday night. September 16. The girls who were formerly members of the Owl Sorority will give an informal dance at Steinberg's Friday evening. September 9. Meanwhile, there are the regular Saturday night dances at the Country club which have been pretty well attended ail along in spite of the wilting heat of the summer.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Miss Agnes Tete, of Chicago, and Mr. Carl Maier, also of Chicago, formerly of Topeka. The wedding took place at the bride's home August 27. Mr. and Mrs. Maier are on their way to Colorado for their wedding trip, and will stop in Topeka to visit Mi. Maier's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maier, They will make their home in Chicago, where Mr. Maier has a position with the Rock Island. At home after October 1, at 1242 RoseJale avenue.

The Sigma Delta Psi house will open September 12 for the Sorority girls

The Sigma Delta Psi house will open September 13 for the Sorority girls who will come for the fall term at Washburn college. Miss Alspach, who was in charge of the house last year, will remain for the coming season.

The Beta girls will occupy their new house at 1307 College avenue, which will be ready by the time the students arrive. The Sorority girls are planning some social affairs for the early fall, picnics and spreads, and some more informal parties. The newly chartered fraternity, the Phi Delta Theta, will give an impetus to social affairs in college circles that ought to keep things humming this winter.

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Miss Daisy Vance, of Oklahoma City, Okla. was the guest of honor at an informal afternoon party today, given by Mrs. A. R. Mulholland. Miss Alice Willard will entertain for her Saturday afternoon. and Mrs. Ed Gossett gave a luncheon in her honor Saturday afternoon.

A resourceful Topeka woman has found a new way to dispose of book agents. She tells them she can't read. Of course, they always answer that they would be ashamed to own it, but so long as she can make them believe her, she doesn't mind.

Miss Marguerite Lovewell, who will leave the latter part of the week for Hartford, Conn., to resume her study of voice, entertained informally Tuesday night at her home on College avenue. Her guests were: Mr, and Mrs. L. M. Woods, 1116 Polk street. Miss Guenn Godard, Miss Daisy Monroe, Miss Carolyn Lovewell, Mr. Harry L. King of St. Louis, Mr. Tom Bowman, Mr. Karl Bowman, Mr. Amory Lee, Mr. Hampton Shirer and Mr. Valentine Godard.

The Vandemore club will meet with Mrs. R. W. White, 920 Lincoin street ling was first called for today, but has been postponed.

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Mrs. Minnie Dolstrom went to Osavatomie, Kansas, Sunday to remain everal days visiting relatives and riends.

Mrs. David Wise of 707 East Tenth left has weak for Ditterment. Mrs. David Wise of 707 East Tenth avenue left last week for Pittsburg, Pa., called by the death of her mother. She will remain several weeks.

Raymond Richardson, the eightmonths-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of No. 46 Norris avenue, who is suffering with an atack of infantile paralysis, is reported to be slowly improving.

Mrs. McLain moved today. Mr. and Mrs. McLain moved today notice that they were on the train and from 435 Lake street to a house in the five hundred block on Chandler "Please show them every possible atstreet.

Mrs. August Bjorkiund of 323 Branner streeet spent Monday the guest of Mrs. John Lungstrom of 804 East Tenth avenue. Mrs. Lungstrom and her guest spent the day quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Horn of 221 Lake street entertained at a family dinner Monday evening in honor of their son Harry, in celebration of his 21st birth-

Mr. Harry Heinzman has returned from Forrest Lake, Ill., where he spent the past three weeks.

Mrs. Lillian King returned Monday from a southern and eastern trip.

Mr. Carol B. Merriam will leave Thursday for Boston. He will join Mrs.

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Merriam and their son at Rye Beach.
N. H., and they will return in ten days.
Mrs. Ray Hall has gone to St. Joseph, Mo., to visit her sister, Mrs. B.
G. Voorhees.
Mrs. Joseph Cox of Aurora, Ill., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. M. Fuller.
Miss Florence Dickenson of Minneapolls Minn is the vest of Minne-

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Mrs. J. K. Hudson, of Kansas City, returned home Tuesday after a visit to Dr. Deborah Longshore. Miss Josephine Keiser, who accompanied her, was the guest of Miss Gertrude McClintock. Miss Clara Carr of Holly Springs, Miss. who visited Miss Bernice Fuller on her way to Colorado, will return the latter part of this week, to make Miss Fuller an extended visit.

Miss Grace Berry, of 518 Lincoln street, has gone to Nickerson where she has taken the position of director of domestic science in the high school.

Mrs. J. B. Furry and her daughter of Muskoge, Ok., have returned home after an extended visit to Mrs. Furry's mother, Mrs. Anna Wilson.

Judge and Mrs. R. A. Burch and Miss Winifred Burch have returned from Wisconsin, where they spent the past few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burch, of Salina, are guests at the R. A. Burch home.

Mrs. J. W. Moore of Indiananolis.

home.

Mrs. J. W. Moore of Indianapolis, Ind. is visiting Mrs. F. M. Bonebrake.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Shakeshaft and their children and Miss Zillah Mileham have returned from Minnesota.

Bishop F. R. Millspaugh has gone to Minneapolis. Minn., called by the Illness of his mother.

mess of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Green and their family of Oakley. have come to Topeka to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Park and Miss Lottie Park will go to Grand Island, Neb., next week to visit relatives.

The C. E. society of the First Congregational church will have a social and business meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. Clara R. Baker, 306 Harrison street.

rison street.

Mrs. J. J. Corkill has returned from Colorado, where she spent the past two

Hopkins, of Holton, will return in a few days.

Mrs. H. E. Stevens of San Luis Potosi, Mexico, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLatchey.

Mrs. W. A. Waugh and her daughter Esther of Eskridge are spending this week visiting Mrs. L. M. Couch-

man.
Mrs. Frank Shanklin and her children have returned from Iowa, where they spent the summer visiting Mrs. Shanklin's mother.

Snanklin's mother.

The following people attended a picnic at Central park Tuesday evening for Miss Olive Westbrook of Hays City, who is the guest of Miss Cecil Comstock: Miss Westbrook, Mrs. Frank Logan, Mrs. C. E. Woodruff, Miss Pansy Johnston, Miss Mary Logan, Miss Grace Woodruff, Miss Clara Ogee, Miss Carrie Hempstead and Miss Comstock.

EVENING CHAT

BY RUTH CAMERON

Can you talk small talk? If you can, be thankful. If you can't suppose you learn to. I don't believe you will regret the of-

ort.
It is splendid to be able to talk well on deep and important subjects, but that ability does not by any means do awar with the need of being able to talk lightly and easily on unimportant subjects. And the man or woman who considers that it does and despises small talk, I think makes a great mis-

small talk is the small coin of social intercourse, and as such no one can afford to be without it.

It is splendid to have a wallet suffed full of twenty and fifty dollar bills and big checks, but it is decidedly inconvenient to have no smaller change.

Yes, of course, one would prefer to have the bills and do without the small change to having things the other way around, but why not have both?

Some years ago a young newspaper man of decided genius, a brilliant conversationalist when talking on some of his favorite subjects, came to call on me.

me.

I introduced him to my mother, and what do you suppose his first remark after the "Pleased to meet you" was? "Would you like to know my idea of the universe?"

And forthwith he expounded it to her.

Imagine it.

His idea of the universe was rather original and worth hearing, to be sure, but wasn't his offering it as an opening remark about as absurd as passing your newsboy a hundred dollar check

sions.

To be able to talk witty and sparkling small talk is a fine art—a genius
before which I bow in deep admiration.

I listen to people who can do that
with the same enjoyment with which I
watch a game of tennis between skilful
players.

That, however, is a gift. We cannot
all possess it.

all possess it.

But by conscientiously forcing ourselves to practice it whenever occasion arises. I think we can all learn to talk decently creditable small talk.

And don't you think that's worth

"Keep me in trouble," was the advice an actor recently gave to a dramatist whom he had commissioned to write a play for him. That should have been easy. It was only necessary for the dramatist to give him the part of a married man on a salary,—Chicago Record-



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can Ticket in Idaho.

original and worth hearing, to be sure, but wasn't his offering it as an opening remark about as absurd as passing your newsboy a hundred dollar check to pay for your morning paper?

Now I certainly wouldn't want that man to lose one bit of his originality and depth of thought, or the least lota of his ability to talk fascinatingly on deep subjects, but I do think it would smooth his future path for him if he could learn to talk small talk on occasions.

To be able to talk witty and sparking small talk is a fine art—a genius before which I bow in deep admiration.

I listen to people who can do that with the same enloyment with which I Boise, Idaho, Aug. 31.-Indications

Miss Margaret Amelia Breumm, daughter of a wealthy New York in-

\$375.00 Piano Free See Page 10

ROMANCE BEGINS IN AUSTRIA.

Sixteen-Year-Old New York Heiress
Weds Next Sunday.

New York, Aug. 31.—The arrival in New York of Lieutenant Bela Schwarcz of the royal guards, Austrian army, revealed a romance which will have its culmination Sunday in the marriage of the lieutenant and Miss Margaret Amelia Breumm, their daughter out of the companion

daughter of a wealthy New York insurance man.

Miss Breumm was taken from a New York high school a few months ago by her parents, who wanted to get

"What kind of fence-mending is it you statesmen are supposed to do when you go home for the summer?" "A little hedging, as a rule," replied Senator Sorghum.—Washington Star.

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